EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS BOARD[282]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 272.2, the Board of Educational Examiners hereby amends Chapter 23, "Behind-the-Wheel Driving Instructor Authorization," Iowa Administrative Code.

The following amendment removes the requirement that the holder of a behind-the-wheel driving instructor authorization hold a driver's license specifically from Iowa. The rationale for this decision is that driving instructors in bordering states are occasionally hired to teach in driver education programs in Iowa, and requiring the applicants to get Iowa driver's licenses creates a barrier to their being able to work in driver education programs in Iowa.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on December 16, 2009, as **ARC 8409B**. A public hearing on the amendment was held on Wednesday, January 6, 2010. No one attended the public hearing, and no written comments were received. This amendment is identical to the one published under Notice.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 272.

This amendment will become effective April 14, 2010.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend subrule 23.1(1) as follows:

- **23.1(1)** *Qualifications*. To qualify for the behind-the-wheel driving instructor authorization, the applicant must:
 - a. Be at least 25 years of age.
- b. Hold a valid Iowa driver's license that permits unaccompanied driving, other than a motorized bicycle license or a temporary restricted license.
 - c. No change.

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